

air Election.

The Demonstration at Cynthia
GREAT TURN OUT OF THE PEOPLE
Speeches of Vice President Breckinridge, Hon.
Wm. Preston, and Hon. J. W. Stevenson!
[Correspondence of the Louisville Courier.]

ed from the barbeque given by the Democracy of Harrison, and although tired and dusty, I will give you a sketch of the incidents of a day so glorious to our party. The spot selected for holding the barbeque was a beautiful, shady woods, situated about a mile and a quarter from Cynthia's, the residence of Mr. W. H. Harrison. The grounds of the place were very extensive, and the grounds, there were already two or three thousand persons collected, and from every direction men and women were gathering. Women and children in carriages and men on horseback and walking, were collecting from all quarters. The Democracy of Owen, Harrison, Scott, Fayette, Bane, and the neighboring counties were present. A body of the militia had been ordered for their presence to day.

As Cynthia is one of access by means of rail road, she arrived at the place at 11 o'clock, and immediately availed themselves of the opportunity to partake of the renowned hospitality of Harrison county. The ladies were seated in the shade of the trees, and their approaching triumph. The day was a bright and as auspicious as are the prospects of the future. The air was cool and refreshing, and the crowd. Everybody was in a good humor, and cheerfulness and hilarity characterised every one. The ladies were seated in the shade of the trees, and the men on the grounds, and it was remarked that it was seldom as large a crowd congregated on any

The number of persons in attendance was variously estimated to be from 7,000 to 9,000. The dinner was gotten up in true Kentucky style, plenty of nice provisions prepared in a neat, wholesome manner. Cold ham, rounds of beef and lambs baked "to a turn," nice cake, lemon

ade, corn and wheat bread, in fact, everything that a healthy, hungry man could desire, and all that an invalid ought to have, was provided in plenty.

The meeting was called to order by Wm. W. Cleary, Esq., and upon his motion the following officers were elected.

PRESIDENT.
Hugh Newell.

VICE PRESIDENTS.
Abraham Keller Col. Thos. T. Clements

Col. THOS. J. GARRETT,
Andrew Boyd,
Thos. Walden,
James L. Patterson.

SECRETARY.
F. L. McChesney.

Col. Preston made the first speech, and was enthusiastically cheered by the crowd. His name

Vice President Breckinridge next spoke, and in a loud, hearty prolonged shout of welcome greeted him as he came forward. Perhaps no man—not even Clay, who had more warm, personal friends than any other man of his day—ever possessed, to a greater degree, the love and confidence of those

who know him, than John C. Breckinridge. Courageous and kind in social intercourse, frank and fearless in the avowal of his opinions, true and loyal to the South, bold and undimching in his advocacy and defense of Southern interests, he is now justly regarded as one of the safest and most reliable leaders of the Democratic party.

points of his speech. He alluded to the last struggle in Congress upon the question of admitting Kansas under the Lecompton constitution. Until recently he had not formally declared his opinion upon the issue made between the Democrats and the Republicans; his official position made it impossible for him to do so, without inpropriety, but he approved of President Buchanan's policy heartily. Had his constituents been

adopted in January last, peace would have reigned instead of strife and confusion that characterized the recent contest, and which caused the country so much trouble. He regretted the course pursued by the American representatives from this and other Southern States, as it would strengthen the Republican party. He clearly and consistently disavowed the charges of extravagance.

gance which had been preferred against the present Administration; it was in paying off the debt contracted by the Republican Congress, that the money appropriated was expended, and he predicted that at the close of Mr. Buchanan's term of office, it would be seen that affairs had been administered in an economical, judicious manner. Touching the question that had arisen be-

between this Government and England, he suppose no one would object to the wise and politic course adopted by the administration, and which has resulted in such an amicable and honorable adjustment of the vexed question.

Referring to the position of the parties of the day, he said that the contest in 1856 would be between the Democrats and Black Re-

publicans. Lecompton was a question which has been decided, and we of the South would have to meet our opponents on the principles which they have openly avowed and fought for. The abolition leaders in Congress have boldly announced their doctrines, and we would have to fight them. The hope of the South rests in the success of the Democratic party, and it became the members

I have merely glanced at the points discussed by Mr. B., and do not pretend to give even a synopsis of his speech. He was frequently interrupted by applause, and while it completely silenced all the objections that had been raised against the administration and against him personally.

The crowd then adjourned for dinner. After the edibles had been discussed the audience returned to the stand, when W. E. Arthur, Esq., of Covington, addressed them. Mr. A.'s speech evinced that he has a thorough acquaintance with the political questions of the day. He spoke of the approaching canvass, and the issue that has been presented, and accepted; he urged all our

Col. J. W. Stevenson next came forward, and reviewed the acts of the administration in a clear and logical manner, vindicating the administration.

from the unjust aspersions that had been cast upon it. It was only necessary for the Democrats of Kentucky at the coming election to exert the whole strength, and the victory would be theirs. By the recent action of a portion of our Representatives, our State had been made to assume a false position in the eyes of our sister States. That wrong impression must be corrected, and

Hon. J. B. Clay was loudly called for, and was hailed by the crowd with evidences of pleasure when he arose to respond to the call. Mr. Clay was, as usual, clear and felicitous in his remarks. In a succinct review of the actions of Congress he gave his constituents an account of the manner in which he had discharged the trust reposed

The vast assemblage then broke up; and thus ended one of the happiest days the Democrats ever enjoyed. Not an incident unpleasant in its nature occurred during the day. All were pleased.

and each man returned home determined to
his whole duty Monday next.

Yours, KENTUCKY.

[For the Louisville Courier.]

Another Card from Thompson—To the Public.
The controversy between the "jail clique" and
myself has drawn to a close, and now I wish

sum up the evidence that I have produced. I published a card in the Courier, in which I detail the *rascality* of the municipal rulers of the city of Louisville. They became indignant, and came to the conclusion that such an exhibit must have had its origin among the political wire-workers.

work and selected Mr. Bob. Baird as their mouthpiece, and boldly made the assertion that they knew the "author of the article and will make recoil upon our head." Well, when Bob. Baird found out to his sorrow that one Thompson, a brick layer, had written the article, and found that this Thompson was indorsed by another

Thompson or would he back out of the case, or
peared and retracted. The brick layer Thompson
still persists in following up his assertions with
sworn testimony to prove them. The "j-
clique" threatened to put him in jail on various
charges. He shows himself to them, and ad-
vances where he may be found. They still have
the manhood to meet him openly, but hire a bul-
l to intimidate him. The bully is a big, drunken

The communication in our paper of yesterday from Coleman, a prisoner in the jail, was not published.

by the desire or with the consent of Mr. Thomas. Mr. T. does not rely upon the testimony of the men in his custody for the vindication of his character and conduct as a jailer.

Now all I have to say is that no piece of writing leaves the jail unless the jailer reads it, and if it was not written by or with Mr. T.'s consent it was written in the Journal office, for political purposes.

effect. N. Mr. T. does not rely upon the testimony of his prisoners, for, by them I could prove him a tyrant and unfaithful public officer. He had better keep the people from investigating things connected with the jail until after the election, for as certain as God rides in his Majesties on High, if he will allow me to prove up his iniquities by those he has in confinement, he would not be so kind as to send me to the gallows.

be ousted by an ignorant and uneducated minority on next Monday. Let the citizens think of these things and inquire into them, for they need investigation.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

THAT BEAR STORY.

I was determined to find out what it was that plasmash with my corn every night. The field was close the woods, so I climbed a tree overlooking that part of the field; about midnight I heard a rustling in the corn, and on closer examination I found it

thundering big Bear. Curiosity tempted me to watch
see what the old varmint would do; well, sir, I
kept on smashing down and munching 'till I though
confounded old skin would burst; he then gather
arms full of the biggest ears and walked off into
woods; I got down and followed him for two miles
the woods, when, what do you think I found? I
sir, the cursed old brute had built a pen and
four of my best hogs in it, fattening them on his
hook. Now, sir, if you don't believe it, you can
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| " " In hands of and due from Agents..... | 42,439 |
| Amount Loaned on Mortgage of Real Estate..... | 17,760 |
| " " " on Pledge of Bank Stocks..... | 19,000 |
| Bills Receivable, for Loans on ap- proval of title..... | 50,000 |

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| Bank Stocks of New York City Banks | 100 |
| of Hartford and other N. Y. Banks | \$8,511 |
| Accumulated Interest on Investment | 2,132 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | \$341,719 |
| Liabilities | \$34,914 |

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